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MEMORANDUM FOR US AIR FORCE AF/XOX, ATTN: LT COL DENNIS MILSAP

Subject: Interim Certificate to Operate (ICTO) for Deliberate and Crisis Action Planning and Execution Segments (DCAPES)

1. In accordance with the authority provided by the reference, the Interoperability Test Panel (ITP) concurs with your request for an Interim Certificate to Operate (ICTO) with respect to the Deliberate and Crisis Action Planning and Execution Segments (DCAPES). The ITP bases this concurrence upon your urgent operational requirement to field this system.
2. The ITP Chairman concurs with the recommendations of the Joint Interoperability Test Command (JITC) and the ITP members to grant an ICTO to the DCAPES while the JITC is completing interoperability certification testing. This ICTO is effective beginning 24 September 2004 and expires on 31 March 2005. The ITP is issuing this ICTO as an administrative extension to the DCAPES dated 22 March 2004 that expired 23 July 2004.
3. If, at the end of this ICTO, DCAPES has not been joint interoperability certified, the ITP will consider it a candidate for removal from operational use.
4. JITC point of contact is Mr. Joe Peeples, DSN 354-2802, Commercial (301) 744-2802, fax (301) 744-2688 or email address: [peeplesj@ncr.disa.mil](mailto:peeplesj@ncr.disa.mil).

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Reference:

- 1 CJCSI 6212.01C, Interoperability and Supportability of Information Technology and National Security Systems, 20 November 2003